## 2008 ANNUAL ELECTION TIMELINE FOR CANDIDATES

Tues., March 18, 2008	<b>5:00pm</b> Last day to submit nomination papers to registrars of voters for certification (MGL $C$ . 53, $s$ . 9 $A$ ) - 49 days prior to the election (note: this is the deadline for candidates)
Thurs., April 3, 2008	Last day to object or withdraw nomination papers (MGL C. 53, s. 11) - 33 days prior to the election
Wed., April 16, 2008	Last day to register to vote or change party for Annual Town Meeting and Town Election - 20 days prior to the election
Mon., April 28, 2008	Campaign Finance Reports due - 8 days prior to the election
Tues., April 29, 2008	Last day to post Warrant for Annual Election and Town Meeting - 7 days prior to the election
Tues., May 6, 2008	Annual Town Election. Polls are open from 7:00am to 8:00pm
	Elected candidates need to be qualified for office (sworn in) before the next meeting of the board (or Town Meeting)
Sat., May 10, 2008	Annual Town Meeting
Thurs., June 5, 2008	Campaign Finance Reports due (30 days after the election)
Mon., January 21, 2009	Campaign Finance Reports due ( <u>year-end</u> report)